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A POSSIBLE SINGLE SILO LAUNCH GROUP (TYPE III-D) HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED AT THE PERM ICBM COMPLEX ON KEYHOLE MISSION [REDACTED]. THE GROUP CONSISTS OF SIX POSSIBLE LAUNCH SITES AND TWO AREAS OF SUSPECT ACTIVITY. ONE AREA CONTAINS AN EXCAVATION WITH A LONG, NARROW BUILDING ALONGSIDE. WITHIN THE EXCAVATION THERE IS A STRUCTURE UNDER CONSTRUCTION. THIS BEARS A MARKED SIMILARITY TO ACTIVITIES AT TATISHCHEVO ICBM LAUNCH SITE A-1 AS SEEN ON MISSION [REDACTED]. THE SITES IN THE POSSIBLE GROUP VARY IN SPACING FROM 2.5 TO 4 NM AND POSSIBLE CABLE SCARRING IS VISIBLE CONNECTING SEVERAL OF THE SITES. ALMOST ALL OF THE POSSIBLE SITES CONSIST OF AN IRREGULAR EXCAVATION, FIRST OBSERVED DURING 1964, WITHIN WHICH A POSSIBLE CIRCULAR SILO IS UNDER CONSTRUCTION. A NUMBER OF THE SITES HAVE A SINGLE MEDIUM SIZED STRUCTURE NEAR THE EXCAVATION. GEOGRAPHIC COORDINATES, PHOTO COORDINATES AND NEGATION DATES ARE AS FOLLOWS. (ALL PHOTO COORDINATES ARE FROM MISSION [REDACTED])

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POSSIBLE	57-43-45N	56-07-00E	X35.9	Y12.5
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SUSPECT	57-44-10N	56-12-30E	X34.4	Y13.1
POSSIBLE	57-43-00N	55-50-45E	X40.2	Y10.6
POSSIBLE	57-41-45N	56-12-20E	X35.4	Y14.3

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